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### BE ON THE SAFE SIDE

It is true that you are not likely to lose your savings if deposited in any good bank—but you are **ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN NOT** to lose them when you deposit where you have the additional protection of the State Guaranty Law. Such protection is offered you here.

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RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA

## ANNOUNCEMENT

On and after this date the firm name of The Red Cloud Hardware & Implement Company will be discontinued and the business will be conducted as per below. An announcement of the lines carried will be made at an early date. Our order is already in and some of the goods are on the way to restock our store. We assure you that we appreciate the patronage you have given us under the old firm name and we solicit a continuation of it in the future. Our policy will be to give an honest article at an honest price. Call in and see us.

**EDWARD HANSON**  
HardWare & Implements

### Auto Contest Grows Daily

Owing to a lack of space again this week we are unable to say as much as we would like regarding the Big Auto Contest, but we wish to say that it is daily growing in interest, and we want to call the Contestants attention to the fact that the days are rapidly slipping past and they should put forth their best efforts.

Following is the standing of the Contestants:

Gertie Cartwright	42,200
Elenor Gilham	40,500
Miss Gertrude Coon	33,340
Miss Maude Hayes	28,200
Mrs. L. H. Matkins	21,100
Miss Rose McGuire	20,300
Mrs. Clara Copley	11,725
Mary Christian	11,700
Grace Kinsell	11,000
Mrs. Ida Worden	10,700
May Elliott	10,700
Edna VanHorn	10,700

### Norris Is For The Bill

Deplores Misinformation on Kenyon-Sheppard Measure

Washington, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—"There seems to be more misinformation over the pending liquor bill, known as the Kenyon-Sheppard bill, than any measure with which I have been familiar during my term in congress," said Congressman Norris today. Mr. Norris is a member of the house judiciary committee, which has had the Kenyon-Sheppard bill under consideration, and has been present at most of the various hearings which have been held from time to time during the past year.

"I favor the passage of the bill, and it seems to me that nobody can have any objection to it except the bootlegger and the man who sells him his booze," continued Mr. Norris. "It strikes only at the illegal seller of liquor, and fixes no punishment upon the shipper. It simply allows the law of the state to which the liquor is shipped to operate, and allows state authorities to exercise the right given them by their state laws to seize the liquor if they wish to do so after it arrives at its destination before its delivery to the consignee."

"Under the present law liquor to be shipped in interstate commerce must be plainly labeled, and when it is sent to anyone known to be in the business illegally, everyone can see what it is when it is taken off the train at the depot; but no one can take it because until its delivery it is in interstate commerce and under federal laws not subject to seizure. This bill destroys its interstate character. It fixes no punishment, but if the state law provides against liquor selling it can be seized before delivery, and the state authorities must then prove that it was intended for illegal purposes before they can convict."

"The burden of proof is upon the state or individual seizing the liquor to show that it has been shipped in for purposes contrary to law. Any liquor sold to a licensed dealer cannot be touched and in no way is the shipper of liquor, whether it be consigned to a licensed dealer or a bootlegger, affected by the provisions of the Kenyon-Sheppard bill.—Monday's State Journal.

### One Thousand Cement Men at Omaha Show

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 10th.—One thousand and cement users from Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, South Dakota and Nebraska attended the annual convention of the Nebraska Cement Users Association, which was held here last week. The cement show was the biggest one ever held and more people attended the show than have attended all former shows.

### Editor Resigns For Four Weeks

We have decided to turn The Chief over to the various organizations of this city for the next four issues. We will give them full sweep and they can conduct this paper as they see fit. The editor will assume no responsibility whatever for anything that appears except the locals and the advertising. There will be four special editions, the first conducted by the ministers and churches, the next by the lawyers, the third by the business men and the last by the public schools. Watch for every issue and learn how things look to the other fellow.

### Departed This Life

Leslie Adell Williams was born in Wynona, Minn., June 4th, 1896, and died Feb. 8th, 1913, at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. N. Williams, in this city.

She was married to Alva Meridith Oct. 11th, 1903. After their marriage they went to Indiana where they resided for a while after which they returned to Nebraska.

To this union there was born three daughters. These with the husband a father, mother, brother and two sisters are left to mourn her death.

The immediate cause of her death was Peritonitis.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Baptist church, W. F. Cole officiating.

All of her near relatives were here for the funeral except one sister who lives in Montana. She was detained on the account of sickness.

### Nebraska Potato Diseases

The Department of Agricultural Botany is now completing for publication an extensive bulletin on the nature and control of the dry rot of the potato—a disease prevalent in the sand hill and high plains regions of western Nebraska. The disease has been shown to be due to a parasitic fungus, which enters the mature tubers through wounds due to the methods of digging and handling or to other causes. The greatest growth of the fungus occurs during storage and many serious losses have been reported by people who have attempted to carry large quantities of these infected potatoes through the winter.

It has been found possible by proper treatment before storage to reduce the losses from this rot from 30 to 40 per cent down to only 3 or 4 per cent. The western Nebraska potatoes have excellent "baking" quality, and by the use of these new methods it should be possible to hold these potatoes through the winter and avoid the losses due to immediate sale of the entire crop in the fall. For this bulletin address the Nebraska Experiment Station at Lincoln.

### Baptist Church Notice.

Too busy to announce subjects this week. We are doing business for the King. We need help. Will you be one to help? The King's Business demands haste.

### Card of Thanks

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends for the many little acts of kindness and sympathy shown during our recent bereavement.

G. RASSER AND FAMILY.

### Notice

A special examination will be held on Saturday, February 15, at Blue Hill Guide Rock and Red Cloud. This examination will cover all subjects for county certification and will be held one day only.

GERTRUDE L. COON, Co. Supt.

### Farm For Rent

210 acre farm for rent 11 miles south east of Red Cloud, and 2 1/2 miles south west of Guide Rock. Apply to C. E. Rogers 1542 K street, Lincoln, Neb. adv.

## REMEMBER

To correct an erroneous impression which seems to be in circulation I wish to say that I am still selling the well known

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and Victor records. My stock of these is complete and fresh and I can supply you with anything wanted in the Victor line. I expect to continue to carry this line and as always to have a good complete stock of both records and machines.

In conformity with my policy of ALWAYS having the BEST goods FIRST I am now showing the new

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### EDISON CYLINDER PHONOGRAPH

as usual are the best of their kind. The new Undestructible Blue Amberol record playing four minutes when used with the new Diamond pointed reproducer giving tones and volume of the old disc machines.

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Ed. Hanson

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Red Cloud, Neb.

### New York Editor Pays High Tribute to Nebraska

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 10th.—The Seed Corn campaign of the early months of 1913, which the newspapers of Nebraska made the biggest campaign in the country is the subject of a three page story in Town Development, a New York publication in its January issue. If every community in the country took the interest in the improvement of agricultural conditions in its immediate territory as that displayed in Nebraska, the wealth of the United States could be doubled in a very few years and everybody would be the gainer. Such is the opinion reflected by the New York editor.

### Congregational Church.

"The Sword Bathed in Heaven or the Secret of Progress and Victory," will be the subject of the morning sermon. Sunday School at 10. Vesper service at 5:30. At the service the pastor will give a lecture on the Book of Ecclesiastes. The subject of the lecture will be "The Wise Man and his search for Happiness". Everybody cordially invited to this service and urged to read the Book before they come. Mid-week meeting on Wednesday at 7:30. Subject: The Fifth chapter of First Peter.

JOHN J. BAYNE, pastor.

### Farm Loans

See J. H. Bailey for best rates, terms and option on farm loans. Sole agent for Trevett, Mattis & Baker.